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Applicant : Gavagni, et al., et al.
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TRANSMITTAL LETTER

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MAIL STOP AMENDMENT
Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

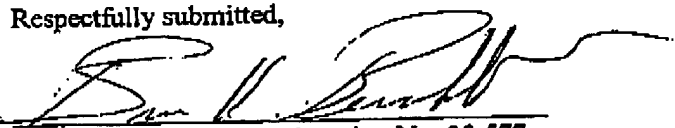
Please find enclosed for filing:

1. Response under 37 C.F.R. §1.111;
2. Petition for Retroactive Extension of Time (One Month); and
3. Please charge any deficiencies or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-0951.

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Respectfully submitted,

Date: 10 Sep 2004

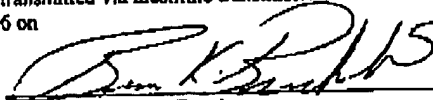

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